

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



APPLICANTS : Kevin Pinney et al.

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EXAMINER : Aulakh Charanjit

ART UNIT : 1625

FOR : "INDOLE-CONTAINING AND COMBRETASTATIN-RELATED ANTI-MITOTIC & TUBULIN POLYMERIZATION AGENTS"

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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March 9, 2004  
Boston, MA 02111

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2003. A petition for a three-month Extension Of Time accompanies this response, to extend the response period to March 10, 2004. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections are respectfully requested. Also submitted with this response is an Information Disclosure Statement for consideration by the Examiner, and the appropriate fee under 37 CFR §1.17(p). Kindly enter the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action as follows.